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First Inventor	Joseph Anthony Gatto
Assignee	The Procter & Gamble Company
Title	Sanitary Napkins with Hydrophobic Lotions
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